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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Sara Giordani

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Date: July 29, 2002

**AMENDMENT "A" UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111
AND FORMAL DRAWINGS
TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

**Hon. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is applicant's Amendment "A" in response to the Office Action mailed March 27, 2002, having a shortened statutory period for response of June 27, 2002. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time to respond accompanies this Amendment "A" for the purpose of extending the time to respond through July 29, 2002.

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